

Dear Scholars & Parents,

Welcome to our new and returning students! I am so excited to have you all join our Lower EI Family in Room #25! My name is Ms. Mandy and Ms. Rose will be assisting me this school year. Our previous assistant, Ms. Elise, has decided to pursue another career and she will be missed. However, Ms. Rose is a returning PRM colleague and we are so lucky to have her join us. She has previous experience in the classroom and I know she will be a valuable asset. This is my 5th year at Park Road Montessori and my eighteenth year as a teacher.

It is such a blessing to work in a Montessori school and I am privileged to share it with your children. Just a few of my many goals for your child are to empower them with independence, help grow their curiosity, and foster a love of reading. Both of my own children were Montessori educated and I have witnessed firsthand their success.

I hope you all have had a wonderful break and created many new memories with your family and friends. I look forward to hearing about your many adventures and exciting things you all have been up to this summer. ***As we learn more about one another, please send in a 3x5 or a 4x6 current picture of your family at Open House or the first week of school. All pictures will be returned at the end of the school year.***

The Lower EI Team has been working hard prepping for the upcoming school year. Attached you will find our classroom supply list. Please let me know if you have trouble finding an item. Please send in all supplies & completed paperwork by the first Friday of the new school year. Feel free to bring supplies to Open House, if possible. Thank you for supporting our classroom and I look forward to working with you ALL this year.

Please remember to send with your child the first day a standard-sized book bag that will fit notebooks, folders, and a lunchbox (if packing). Please be sure to LABEL all personal items (water bottles, bookbags, jackets, etc.) only. Community supplies do not need to be labeled.

Communication is an important key to your child's success this year. Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions, concerns, or comments. The best way is via email @ ***mandyn.beck@cms.k12.nc.us***. I will do my best to return all emails within a 24 hour period during the business week. We will also be using the ***Parent Square and you should be receiving an invitation to join***. Please be on the lookout for a message from me.

If you have any afternoon transportation changes, please always notify the office as well. Ms. Rose and I will be with your children all day and may not have an opportunity to check our email until after school. I can't wait to meet and see you all very soon!

Warmest Regards,

Mrs. Mandy Beck

Ms. Mandy & Ms. Rose

Room #25

Classroom Supply List 2023-24

First

1 pack of erasers

1 box of **sharpened Ticonderoga** pencils

2 sponges

1 container of watercolors

1 box of tissues

2 "Primary" book wide ruled composition book

1 (4 sq./in.) Mead graph notebook

5-6 metal forks (reusable)

1 box of gallon size bags

1 black Sharpie

1 red & 1 orange folder

Second

1 pack of erasers

1 box of **sharpened Ticonderoga** pencils

2 sponges

1 tub of dry modeling clay

1 container of Clorox wipes

1 Mead, sewn, wide ruled composition book

1 (4 sq./in.) Mead graph notebook

5-6 metal spoons (reusable)

1 box of quart size bags

1 black Sharpie

1 blue & 1 orange folder

Third

1 pack of erasers

1 box of **sharpened Ticonderoga** pencils

2 sponges

1 tub of dry modeling clay

1 container of Clorox wipes

1 Mead, sewn, wide ruled composition book

1 (4 sq./in.) Mead graph notebook

Hand Sanitizer

1 box of sandwich size bags

1 black Sharpie

1 green & 1 orange folder

*Please DO NOT label any supplies with your child's name. These will be used for our classroom community. Feel free to bring them to our Open House as we will have sorting bins for you to place them in that night. Thank you in advance for your support! Mrs. Mandy & Ms. Rose